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09/960,083	09/21/2001	Michael E. Beard	RTI ENERGY-4	4353

TITLE OF INVENTION: RECEPTACLE ASSEMBLY AND METHOD FOR USE ON AN OFFSHORE STRUCTURE

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Invention:

Receptacle Assembly and Method for Use on an Offshore Structure

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